

# Weekly Bulletin

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**CHRIST THE KING CHURCH THEME FOR THE YEAR**  
"THE FAMILY THAT PRAYS TOGETHER, STAYS TOGETHER"

**OFFICE HOURS**

**Weekdays**  
8:00am-5:00pm

**Saturdays**  
8:00am-12:00pm

**Sundays**  
8:00am-2:00pm

**MASS SCHEDULE**

**CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC CHURCH SUNDAYS**  
6:30am, 8:00am, 10:30am, 6:00pm  
Youth Mass : 8.00am

**WEEKDAY SCHEDULE**  
Daily: 6:30am & 12:15pm; Tues: 6:30pm

**HOLY HOUR & MASS**  
Thursday preceding the 1st Friday  
& 1st Friday 6:00pm

**DIVINE MERCY CATHOLIC CHURCH**

Sunday: 7:00am  
Daily Mass: Mon - Sat : 6:30am

**ADORATION / PRAYER SESSION / TEACHING:**  
\* Every 1st Sunday of the month - 5:45pm - 7:15pm  
\* Every 3rd Friday of the month (Mercy Seat) - 7:30pm - 10:00pm  
\* Every other Tuesday - 6.30pm - 7.30pm

**CONFESSION**  
Saturdays : After Morning Mass



**DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY**  
DIVINE MERCY PRAYERS TODAY AT  
CHRIST THE KING CHURCH,  
CANTONMENTS AT 2.30PM IN THE  
MAIN CHURCH.

*Jesus, I trust in You*

**CTK WINS BIG AT EASTER MONDAY PICNIC**

Christ the King emerged overall best after winning the finals of Soccer, Basket ball and Volley Ball, thereby retaining the title in all activities again for the 2nd time. Congratulations to all the members of the sports team.

**MOVIE NIGHT**

Join the Tuesday Teaching for a Movie Night with a movie titled

**"NEVER HEARD"**

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## EASTER SUNDAY, YEAR C

### COMMENTARY ON READINGS

**First Reading:** This passage tells us about how Peter and the apostles were held in high esteem by the ordinary people. By the power of the risen Lord the apostles cured persons who were sick in body or in mind and spirit.. (Acts 5:12-16)

#### RESPONSORIAL PSALM (Ps. 118)

“Give thanks to the Lord for he is good, his love is everlasting”

Let the house of Israel say,  
"His mercy endures forever."

Let the house of Aaron say,  
"His mercy endures forever."

Let those who fear the LORD say,  
"His mercy endures forever." **Res.**

I was hard pressed and was falling,  
but the LORD helped me.

My strength and my courage is the LORD,  
and he has been my savior.

The joyful shout of victory  
in the tents of the just. **Res.**

The stone which the builders rejected  
has become the cornerstone.

By the LORD has this been done;  
it is wonderful in our eyes.

This is the day the LORD has made;  
let us be glad and rejoice in it. **Res.**

**Second Reading:** The Church suffered persecution but the risen Lord assured the faithful that He has complete power over death and darkness; and He commanded John to give the Church messages of hope for the present time and for the future. (Revelation 1:9-13, 17-19)

**Gospel:** Jesus appeared to His apostles on Easter Day and He gave them power to forgive or retain sins. Thomas was absent and would not believe the resurrection but on seeing Jesus a week later, he doubted no longer and immediately made his Act of Faith in the risen Lord (John 20:19-31)

### WEEKDAY READINGS & MEMORIALS 2ND WEEK OF EASTER, YEAR C

**Monday** St. Catherine of Sienna  
Acts 4:23-31/Ps 2/Jn 3:1-8

**Tuesday** St. Pius V  
Acts 4:32-37/Ps 93/Jn 3:7b-15

**Wednesday** St. Joseph the Worker  
Acts 14:19-28/Ps 145/Jn 14:27-31a  
or Mt 13:54-58

**Thursday** St. Athanasius  
Acts 5:27-33/Ps 34/ Jn 3:31-36

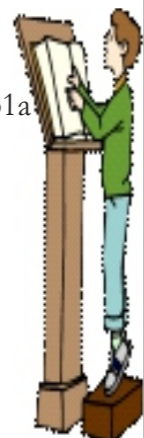
**Friday** Ss. Philip/ James, Apostle  
1 Cor 15:1-8/Ps 19/Jn 14:6-14

**Saturday** St. Florian / BVM  
Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33/Jn 6:16-21

#### NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

#### 3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER

Acts 5:27-32. 40b-41/Ps 30/Rev 5:11-14/  
John 21:1-19



## ROSTER FOR BIDDING PRAYERS/2ND COLLECTIONS

### BIDDING PRAYERS & OFFERTORY

April 28 KSJI

May 05 Marian Choir  
12 Parish Youth Council  
19 St. Cecilia Choir

### SECOND COLLECTIONS

April 28 Poor and Needy

May 05 Thanksgiving  
12 Men vs Women  
19 Vocation  
26 Poor and Needy

## MARRIAGE CORNER

### MARRIAGE BANNES

1. Samuel Otoo & Evelyn Kpanja (3)
2. Anthony Kumah & Veronica Afua Balakema (3)
3. Daniel Darko Osei & Akua Pinamang Addae (3)

## FAMILY CONNECTION

Our family life would no doubt be enhanced if we were able to transform Jesus' greeting into a central feature in our family's interactions. After his Resurrection, "Peace be with you" is the first thing that Jesus says to his disciples. This could be our daily family prayer for one another. In today's Gospel, we also hear that Jesus next breathed on his disciples and gave them the gift of the Holy Spirit. In Baptism, each of us has received the gift of the Holy Spirit as well as the forgiveness of sins. Peace is a fruit of the Holy Spirit. Our Baptism, then, invites us to share in the peace that Christ gave to his disciples and commissions us to share that peace of Christ by generously forgiving others as Jesus taught.

As you gather as a family, think about gifts that you might receive together such as a coloring book and crayons, a book and bookmark, or an electronic item and batteries. Observe that Jesus also paired two gifts together in today's Gospel. Read aloud this Sunday's Gospel, John 20:19-31. Discuss the two gifts Jesus gave to his disciples: peace and the Holy Spirit. Ask: What were the disciples to do with these gifts? (They were sent as Jesus was sent by the Father to forgive sins.) Recall that we have each received Jesus' gift of the Holy Spirit at our Baptism and that peace is a fruit of the Holy Spirit. Observe that since we also have received these gifts from Christ, we are also sent to be people who forgive others as Jesus taught. Determine an action that your family can do to share peace and forgiveness with one another. Pray together the Prayer to the Holy Spirit or the Peace Prayer of St. Francis.

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## MEETINGS

### TODAY AFTER 8.00AM MASS

\*Christian Mothers Association

\*Kanda Area Group

\*Ushers, with PPC Representatives at St. Maria Goretti room of the Adoration Chapel Complex.

### DURING THE WEEK

\*St. Vincent de Paul Society, on Monday, 29th April, 2019 at 6.30pm at St. Anthony's room of the Parish hall.

\*CTK PPC, on Tuesday, 30th April, 2019 at 6.00pm

### NEXT SUNDAY, 5TH MAY, 2019

\*Parish Youth Council

\*Sacred Heart Confraternity

\*Tarcisians

## CTK CREDIT UNION

### ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING RESCHEDULED

The Annual General Meeting of the Accra Christ the King Co-op.Credit Union has been rescheduled to Sunday, 9th June, 2019 at 10:00am at St. Maria Goretti room of the Adoration Chapel Complex.

## MONTHLY ADORATION AND GROTTO DEVOTION

Thur., 2nd May, 2019 - Holy Mass and Adoration @ 6.00pm.

Fri., 3rd May, 2019 - Holy Mass and Adoration @ 6.00pm.

Sat., 4th May, 2019 - Rosary Procession @ 4.00pm  
- Holy Mass @ 5.00pm

## CTK BIBLE SHARING GROUP

**JOIN THE CTK BIBLE SHARING GROUP EVERY SUNDAY AFTER THE 8.00AM MASS IN ST. PADRE PIO ROOM, UPSTAIRS OF THE ADORATION CHAPEL COMPLEX**

## BOOKSTORE OVERSEER WANTED

**Must be an HND/1st degree holder. No working experience is required. Interested persons should send their applications to the Parish Office not later than 30th April, 2019**

## LAITY COMMITTEE

**All Societies in the Parish are to send the names and contact details of their leadership nominations to the Laity Committee. Kindly contact Maj. Gen. Clayton Yaache (0246528559) for submission.**

## ANGELIC CHOIR INVITES YOU

The Angelic Choir invites all youth to join them.

Angelic choir, the youth choir of the church rehearses on Saturdays at 3.00pm - 6.00pm and Sundays after the 8.00am Mass till 11.30am. No prior experience is required. Instrumentalists are also welcome to join. Call or WhatsApp: 0268 747 844 / 0244 534 354.

## DIVINE MERCY CHURCH

### ROSTER FOR BIDDING PRAYERS & OFFERTORY

April 28 Lectors

May 05 Catholic Charismatic Renewal  
12 St. Theresa of the Child Jesus  
19 Monday Born  
26 Tuesday Born

### SECOND COLLECTIONS

May 05 Thanksgiving  
19 Vocation  
26 Poor and Needy

## BLOOD DONATION DRIVE



### THEME:

Family of God: Give blood so others may live

### SLOGAN:

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## FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS

The death has been announced of **Mrs. Mary Ofosuhemaa Afram**, mother of Rosemary Afram, a parishioner and secretary of the Marian choir. Funeral arrangements are as follows;

**Sat. 4th May, 2019:** Laying in State at Hse No. P82, Block C, Asante Akyem Patriensa, near the Presbyterian Church.

**Sat. 4th May, 2019:** Burial Service at Presbyterian Church, Asante Akyem Patriensa at 9:00am. Interment will be at the Presbyterian Cemetery, Asante Akyem Patriensa followed by final funeral rites at the Presbyterian School Park, 1:00pm – 6:00pm.

**Sun, 5th May, 2019 :** Thanksgiving Service at the Presbyterian Church, Asante Akyem Patriensa, at 9:00am.

**Sun. 5th May, 2019:** Family gathering at the Presbyterian School Park, 1:00pm – 6:00pm.

The death has been announced of **Mrs. Charity Eunice Afi Seddoh nee Acolatse**, a parishioner. Funeral arrangements are as follows;

**10th May, 2019:** Filing Past and Pre-burial Mass at Christ the King Church at 7.15am.

**11th May, 2019:** Burial Mass at Holy Family Catholic Church, Woe, near Keta, Volta Region. Interment will be at the family cemetery at Woe followed by funeral rites at her residence.

**19th May, 2019:** Thanksgiving Mass at Christ the King Catholic Church, Cantonments at 10.30am

